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## MINERVA MAN 63 DIES A SUICIDE

### Federal Bank Deposits Insurance Is In Effect Cameron Banks Included in Vast Plan

Cameron's two banks, the First National Bank and the Citizens National Bank on New Year's Day announced that their depositors would be insured under the new Federal Deposit Insurance which becomes effective that day.

All National Banks and member banks of the Federal Reserve System are automatically insured under the new law. To become members of the Federal Insurance guarantee, State banks are required to stand a Federal examination. All of the Milam County banks passed this examination. The deposits up to \$2500.00 in each of the banks are automatically insured and the depositor has no formality to go through and no obligation whatever to meet. He is automatically protected. The system is already in effect.

The insurance will be extended until July 1, 1934 when deposits will automatically be insured as follows:

Every deposit up to \$10,000.00 100%  
Every deposit above \$10,000.00  
and not exceeding \$50,000.00 75%  
Every deposit in excess  
of \$50,000.00 50%  
This deposit guarantee plan of the United States Government is the on-

ly one ever adopted which provided for the guarantee of all deposits including interest bearing deposits and it is estimated that this action on the part of the government will bring into banking channels much money now held back.

The deposits of our local banks have shown large gains since the middle of the summer. The First National Bank of Cameron has increased from \$256,597.51 to \$333,263.40 at the close of the year. The Citizens National Bank has increased from \$1,097,400.33 to \$1,301,268.40 at the close of the year. These figures represent a gain in both of the Cameron Banks of \$280,533.96. It will be noted that the deposits in

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### GEORGE RICHARDS IN RACE FOR MARSHAL

George Richards, well known Cameron citizen and former deputy marshal here, is a candidate for City Marshal of Cameron at the Democratic Primary election to be held early in February.

The announcement that he would be a candidate for this office was made late Wednesday by Mr. Richards who plans to make an active canvas of the voters and earnestly solicits the support of the people for this place.

By reason of his experience and long time residence here, Mr. Richards believes he is well qualified to fill the place and says he knows the needs of the people of Cameron. He was born and reared in this section and has been a resident of Cameron for many years. He formerly served as deputy marshal and points to his record of service in that office.

If elected, Mr. Richards pledges his best efforts to serve the people and he promises to discharge the duties of the office without fear or favor. His many friends in Cameron believe he is especially well qualified for this office and they recommend him unhesitatingly for this place.

He asks his friends to lend their support actively in his behalf and plans to see each one and discuss his campaign. Anything they can do for him will be greatly appreciated.

### LUTHER ROBERTS ASKS 2ND TERM AS MARSHAL

Luther Roberts, for the past two years city marshal in Cameron, is a candidate for a second term in that office subject to the action of the City Democratic Primary election to be held early in February this year.

In making his announcement for re-election, Mr. Roberts has the active support of his many friends who are supporting him for a second term.

During his two years of service in this office, Mr. Roberts has been faithful to the duties of office and asks the support of the people based upon his record of service and also follows the time honored custom of asking for a second term in office.

Mr. Roberts, in making his announcement, requested publication of his thanks to the people of Cameron for their support and co-operation, enabling him to succeed in his

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### Lesovsky Brings In 2nd Buck of Season

Frank Lesovsky, insurance agent and widely known hunter, has returned with his daughter, Frances, from Llano where they enjoyed a deer hunt. Mr. Lesovsky is this week distributing among his friends the customary cut of venison. He brought down a fine buck, his second one of the season. Frances came near duplicating the exploit of her dad, having shot at a big buck while alone in the deer country.

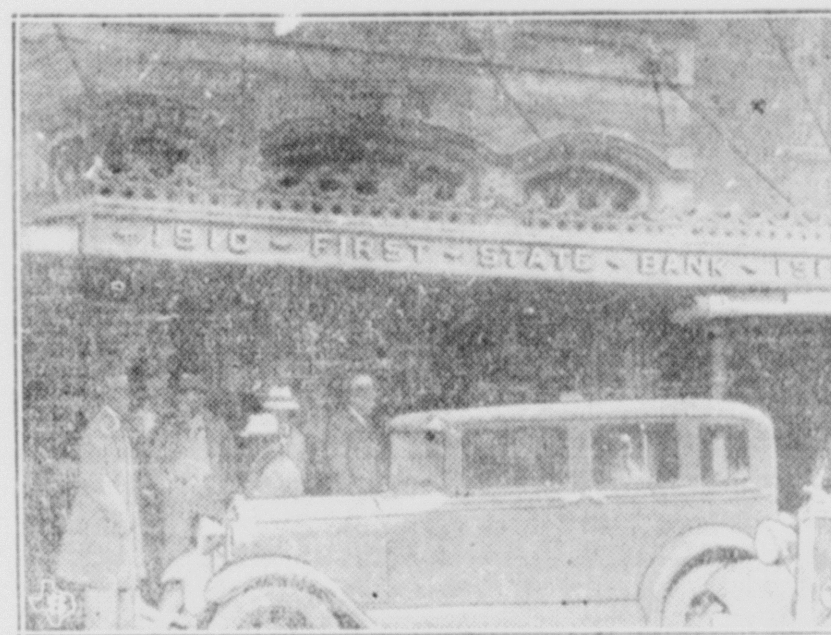
### Bank Bandits Kidnap 3 and Take \$41,000



Miss Andrew Peyton



M. V. Bradshaw



Bank bandits, who waited until the time lock opened the vault, swooped into the First State Bank of Marlin, Texas, looted the vaults of \$41,000 cash, and took three hostages, Vice-President M. V. Bradshaw, Miss Andrew Peyton, bookkeeper, and Lee Humphries, negro porter. The hostages, who were tied to trees near Rogers, in Bell county, finally released themselves. Pictured above are Bradshaw and Miss Peyton, while below is the scene in front of the bank immediately after the robbery was discovered.

## Cameron Officer Is Witness to Booker Execution at Walls

"I am guilty of the crime and am sorry I done it."

Thus did Clarence Booker, 20 year old Cameron negro, go to death in the electric chair at the Walls in Huntsville at 12:18 on the morning of December 30.

Booker was electrocuted on conviction for the murder of Andy Smith, Cameron grocer on the night of December 23, 1932. He entered the Smith grocery and took the life of the merchant with a hand axe. His capture followed an exceptional piece of detective work on the part of Sheriff Leonard Blaylock. After the suspect had been brought into the toils of evidence uncovered by the Sheriff, he was arrested through identification by Luther Roberts, City Marshal, who witnessed the execution of Booker in Huntsville prison at midnight, December 29.

Mr. Roberts requested permission

to witness the scene in the death chamber where the state exacted its penalty for the ruthless murder of his life time friend, Andy Smith. With the Marshal were Leroy Johnson, Bertillon expert in the office of Sheriff Blaylock; Joe Richter, Deputy Marshal and Pete Kunz.

While going to the Walls to see Booker executed, they witnessed in the death chamber the electrocution of two other convicted murderers, one a white man and the other a negro. The white man, Dewey Hunt, walking from the death cell stopped to greet the Dallas county sheriff. He was smoking a cigar. "Have a cigar," he said to the sheriff, then turning down the death path he walked to the chair. He did not admit his guilt.

Booker, according to Roberts, walked calmly and unassisted to the chair.

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### F. R. DUNLAP CANDIDATE SECRETARY-TREASURER

F. R. Dunlap announces in this issue his candidacy for the office of City Secretary and Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election to be held in February.

Mr. Dunlap, who is manager of the John F. Grant Lumber Company in Cameron, has lived in the city for the past nine years. He has served the Grant Lumber Company as manager for the past sixteen years and for four years previous to that time managed the Neece Lumber Company at Teague and Streetman. Before becoming engaged in the management of lumber concerns, Mr. Dunlap held the position of shipping clerk for ten years in the saw mill industry in East Texas for the Wm. Cameron Company at Rockland, the J. S. and W. M. Rice Company at

(See DUNLAP on page 4)

### B. M. McMillion FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

B. M. McMillion, native citizen of Buckholts in Milam county, is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct 1, subject to action of the Democratic Primary election to be held in July of this year.

Announcement that he would be a candidate for this office was made for publication Tuesday while he was in Cameron. His announcement will be received with much interest over the precinct by his many friends and in the City of Buckholts where he has lived his active and useful life. He was born in Buckholts 37 years ago. After receiving his education and training he began his career. For the past five years he has been manager for the Wm. P. Carey Co., lumber business in Buckholts. His business experience qualifies him well for the place he seeks in the

(See McMILLION on page 4)

## JOHN W. GORE FOUND DEAD NEAR HOME

John W. Gore, 63, took his own life with a shotgun at his home at Minerva Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. He had been in declining health and despondent, according to Mrs. Gore. He was a native of Kentucky, coming to Texas when 14 years of age. He has been a resident of Milam county since coming to Texas.

According to statements by investigators, Mr. Gore had been subject to periods of despondency. A 4-10 gauge shotgun was placed near the heart, the charge emerging between the shoulder blades near the back of his neck. He died instantly.

Leo Harris, justice of the peace, Rockdale, held the inquest and rendered a verdict of suicide. The suicide occurred at 9 a. m.

Mr. Gore had bought a quantity of strychnine. On the morning of the tragedy he had been unusually cross and had quarreled with his wife, but later his disposition grew better. He left the house. A few minutes later Mrs. Gore found her husband dead. She did not hear the shot. He had gone to the rear of the building near the home where the shot was fired.

He is survived by his widow and seven children as follows: Virgil T. Gore, Taylor; J. W. Gore, Overton; C. R. Gore, Milano; Buster Gore, Minerva; Mrs. George Gotthardt, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Walter Henderson, Colorado and Miss Mamie Gore of Minerva.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Minerva with interment in the Minerva cemetery.

### LEO WILKERSON IN RACE FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR

W. L. (Leo) Wilkerson, from childhood a resident of Cameron, with the well wishes of his many friends, announces to the people of Cameron his candidacy for the office of City Tax Assessor and Collector, subject to the City Democratic Primary to be held in the early part of February this year.

Mr. Wilkerson has grown to manhood in his home town of Cameron, having been born and reared here in this city of his many friends. He is and the late Mrs. Willie Wilkerson the son of C. P. Wilkerson, deceased, Davis, also deceased, two of our highly esteemed citizens of days gone by.

Leo has always been loyal to his home town and is attached to it for many reasons. His forebears were prominent in the early as well as the modern history of the town. The Cameron Herald, first newspaper to be published in Cameron, was owned and published by his maternal grand

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### GUY NEWTON CANDIDATE FOR CO. SUPERINTENDENT

Guy T. Newton, a native son of Milam county, and for a number of years an educator, is a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction for Milam county, subject to the July Democratic Primary to be held in 1934.

The announcement of his candidacy will be received with acclaim by hundreds of friends over the county and with general interest by the people.

A native son of Milam county, he was born and reared at Maysfield. He is the son of the late Rev. J. K. P. Newton of Maysfield. He attended the rural schools at Maysfield through the ninth grade. He finished his high school work in Austin in 1916 and entered the State University the following fall. He holds B. A. and M. A. degrees from the University.

Much of the work done in the University was toward the teaching profession which he has followed with

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### Unconcerned



Does winning 300 horse races in one year seem to bother Jockey Jack Westrope? Watching him munch fried chicken, solitary style, right after the big race, leads us to believe that Jack isn't concerned at all. But regardless of his calm appearance, Jockey Westrope now holds a world's record, no jockey ever having won 300 races in one year before. The 300th race was won at Epsom Downs near Houston, Texas, last week.

### J. C. JOSEPH CANDIDATE FOR SECY.-TREASURER

J. C. Joseph, city secretary and treasurer for Cameron, is a candidate for re-election to that office, subject to the Democratic Primary election to be held in early February of this year.

Announcement that he would be a candidate for another term in this office, was made by Mr. Joseph Tuesday and will be received with favor by his large number of friends in the city.

Mr. Joseph, a man of exceptional education and training, by reason of his experience, his friends declare, is well qualified for the place in the city government and they will be active in support of him. For many years he has been a resident of Cameron, having engaged in business here on a large scale in other days.

In recent years Mr. Joseph has engaged in the cotton business but devoting much of his time to the af-

(See JOSEPH on page 4)

### GUY KENNON, 12, DIES WHEN HIT BY AUTO

Guy Kennon, 12, one of the twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kennon of 322 East 10th street, Long Beach, California, was almost instantly killed late Wednesday afternoon at Eighth Street and Pacific Avenue in Long Beach when struck by a drunken auto driver who was captured by citizens who witnessed the accident.

The dead boy is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Butts of Cameron, their mother being a sister to Miss Lucille Butts of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Kennon were both reared in this county. They have lived in Long Beach for the past 6 years.

Glen, twin brother of Guy, was found on the streets and taken to see

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### MIDNIGHT JANUARY 31 IS POLL TAX DEADLINE

Midnight of January 31 is the dead line on the payment of poll taxes for both the city of Cameron and Milam county.

Voters should bear in mind this important fact. To be qualified to

(See POLL TAX on page 4)

### Cagney



"Footlight Parade" at Cameron Thursday and Friday

### Educational Film At National Hall Friday, January 5

Citizens of Czech descent in Cameron and Milam county are especially invited to see the picture, The Century of Progress or World Fair in Chicago. This film is to be shown at the National Hall on Friday, January 5 at 7:30 p. m.

The exhibitors while in Cameron and Milam county will take pictures of places associated with the lives and history of the Czech people who have had much to do with the history of this county.

The picture will feature Mayor Anton J. Cermak, the late Chicago official who was shot while in company with President Roosevelt in Florida last February. The film is the only moving picture to be taken of the various interesting features of the Century of Progress.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Adams and daughters, Miss Elizabeth Adams of Waco, and Mrs. Louise Daly and young daughter, Sharon Daly of Houston, visited friends in Cameron New Year's day.





# THE CAMERON THEATRE

Thursday and Friday, December 4 and 5

## "FOOTLIGHT PARADE"

Saturday, January 6

## "MEET THE BARON"

Jack Pearl and Jimmy Durante

Sunday and Monday, January 7 and 8

## "I'M NO ANGEL"

MAE WEST

Tuesday and Wednesday, January 9 and 10

## "SON OF A SAILOR"

Joe E. Brown

Thursday and Friday, January 11 and 12

## "PRIZEFIGHTER AND THE LADY"

Max Baer and Myrna Loy

Saturday, January 11

## "MAYOR OF HELL"

James Cagney



# The MILAM



Friday and Saturday, January 5 and 6

## "GALLANT FOOL"

Bob Steele

## Announcements

The schedule of fees to be charged candidates for political announcements have been carefully apportioned in accordance with the approximate earnings of the office listed and will be charged according to the published list.

The publishers believe these fees are equitable and just and represent fair charges. Some offices return to the incumbent more compensation than others and the differences in these amounts account for the apportionment made. In the case of the offices of Tax Assessor and Collector, now combined, it will be noted that formerly the total aggregate for both announcements was \$20. Under the new schedule the fee has been placed at \$17.50, a reduction over the combined announcement fees charged heretofore.

The increase in the announcement fee charged for District Judge and County Superintendent is made because the terms of office are for four instead of two years:

Congressional	\$20.00
District Judge	17.50
County Superintendent	15.00
Assessor and Collector	17.50
Sheriff	12.50
County Clerk	12.50
District Attorney	12.50
County Treasurer	10.00
County Judge	10.00
District Clerk	12.50
County Commissioner	7.50
Constable	5.00
Justice of Peace	5.00
Public Weigher	5.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office named subject to action of the July Democratic Primary in 1934:

### CITY OF CAMERON

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Terms: Cash in advance. No announcements made unless cash accompanies same. Announcements inserted in order of fees paid. Fee does not include subscription to the Herald.

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office named subject to action of the February City Democratic Primary in 1934:

For City Attorney:  
W. A. (BILL) MORRISON  
For City Marshal:  
GENE SMITH  
LUTHER ROBERTS  
GEORGE RICHARDS  
For Secretary & Treasurer:  
J. C. JOSEPH  
F. R. DUNLAP

For Assessor and Collector:  
W. L. (Leo) WILKERSON

### MILAM COUNTY

For County Superintendent:  
GUY T. NEWTON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:  
(Justice Precincts 6 and 7)  
B. M. McMILLION

## Take a Pinch of BLACK-DRAUGHT For Distress After Meals

He had suffered distress after meals, but by taking Thedford's Black-Draught he was relieved of this trouble, writes Mr. Jess Higgins, of Dawsonville, Ga.

"I had sour stomach and gas," Mr. Higgins explains, "and often I would have bilious spells. I read about Thedford's Black-Draught and began to take it. It relieved me of this trouble. I keep it all the time now. I consider it a fine medicine. I take a pinch of Black-Draught after meals when I need it. It helps to prevent sick headache and to keep the system in good order." Now you can get Black-Draught in the form of a SYRUP, for CHILDREN.

## Twice a Queen



A quick perusal of the papers would lead the average reader to believe that most college girls are beauty queens at least once but Miss Josephine Flaniken of Vernon, Texas, (above) has won the distinction twice—once as a sophomore and now as a senior at West Texas S. T. C., Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bigbee and children, Beryl and Billie, returned to their home in Houston New Year's day after visiting his mother, Mrs. Lottie Bigbee.

## GROCERS' CODE IS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 6

WASHINGTON — President Roosevelt today approved a permanent code for the retail food and grocery trade, which will become effective January 6 in approximately 480,000 stores employing more than 1,000,000 workers.

The new code closely parallels the terms already in effect for the rest of the retail trades under separate codes. It covers all establishments selling food and groceries to the consumer except confectionery stores, bakery shops, house to house sales of milk and restaurants.

Sale of "loss leaders" or extremely low price articles, designed to attract trade is forbidden. The code incorporates a loss limitation rule substantially the same as that of the general retail code, providing that no items shall be sold at less than invoice or replacement cost plus an allowance for actual costs of store labor which shall be fixed by the administrator.

## Perkins To Speak In Temple January 17

The Temple Post of the American Legion and the Lions club will hold a joint meeting Wednesday noon, January 17, it was announced yesterday.

L. Van Perkins, commander of the state department, will attend the meeting as honor guest and principal speaker. Mr. Perkins lives at Cameron.

Claude R. Frazier, Temple Post Commander, has joined in making arrangements with the Lions Club for the joint meeting and both organizations have made plans for a large attendance. — Temple Telegram.

Judge Jeff T. Kemp and wife were guests in his brother's home, Wiltz Kemp and family, in Houston the first of the holidays. They also visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. George Byrom where they had a reunion of the Kemp family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams of Jackson, Mississippi and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tucker of Dallas were also guests at the reunion.

## FUNERAL IS HELD FOR JOHNNIE STITT, AGED 2

Many hearts were saddened to learn of the death of little Johnnie Stitt, the 23 months old son of Mrs. Sue Stitt, who died Thursday, December 21, at the home of his mother at 3:30 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Terry Friday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. W. L. Cannan, pastor of the First Methodist church conducting the services, with interment in Oak Hill cemetery by the side of his late father, J. W. Stitt, who died suddenly last March.

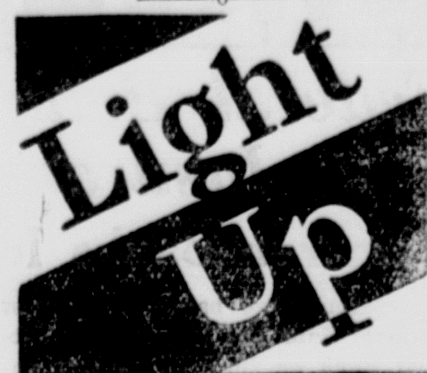
Little Johnnie was an unusually bright boy and by his sweet personality had made friends with both children and grown-ups. He was strong and healthy until his illness that seemed to puzzle medical attendants. He was ill for only a few days, and many hearts were saddened by his passing.

Out of town relatives to attend his funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lindsey of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davidson of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsey and daughter, Miss Geraldine Lindsey, of Austin.

Mrs. Glenn Flinn, wife of Rev. Glenn Flinn, presiding elder of the Houston district in the Texas Methodist Conference, is a patient in a Temple hospital.

F. R. Kittridge of Oklahoma City, formerly of Cameron, visited friends in Cameron during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Adams and daughters, Miss Elizabeth Adams of Waco, and Mrs. Louise Daly and young daughter, Sharon Daly of Houston, visited friends in Cameron New Year's day.



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Cameron Theatre January  
14th and 15th

## The New Deal

Our Nation under the wise leadership of President Roosevelt brings renewed hope for the people of America.

He has looked with gratification to the strong banks of the country to assist in the restoration of conditions.

Hapily, this bank was in a position to give strength to the banking structure of the country and will be found serving its patrons in 1934 and co-operating in every way with the President.

We invite your deposits, guaranteeing our depositors safety and the service of a well planned and friendly bank.

The



Cameron, Texas



## SALEM

A large crowd enjoyed the Christmas tree at the school house Friday night, with a visit from Santa and a good program by the pupils.

There were a number of visitors in this community during the holidays: Mr. Willard Nabours and family of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gilbert and children of Seymour and Mr. Gilbert's mother and brothers of Fort Worth, and J. W. Harris and family of Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lewis and children of Cameron spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lewis.

Tennie Sharp of near Temple is spending the holidays with her brother, Homer Sharp and friends.

Mr. J. D. Nisbetts and daughter, Miss Katie spent Christmas day at Goldwait with Mrs. Emma Shields.

Misses Grace and Josephine Sybert are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevens and sister Robert Glaser.

A Christmas dinner was enjoyed in the Mode home Sunday by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Mode and family of Rogers; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mode and daughters of Yarrington, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gilbert of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mode of Cameron, Mrs. Gilbert and two sons of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris.

Miss Irene Mode is visiting at Seymour with her nieces, Mrs. Gilbert and daughter will remain here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris, Verna and Irene Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris, Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Hill of Buckholts.

Those visiting in the W. R. Harris home Christmas day were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris, J. W. Harris and family of Wharton, Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hill of Buckholts, Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble and Doris of Sharp, Mrs. L. R. Harris of Cameron, Mrs. Ollie Harris and family of Curry and Bedford Lewis.

John B. Dodson visited a few days at Belmena with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris, Mr. L. R. Harris, Verna and Irene Harris were callers in the W. B. Lewis home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nabours and Hilrey spent Sunday in the Will Green home and Monday in the home of Roy Green of Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Cleek of Cameron visited a while in the J. E. Nabours home Tuesday night.

Jim Pate, formerly of Cameron, now of Tracy, was here New Year's day and was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Pate.

## MILLIONS TO LEND

On Texas Farm Lands at 5 1/2 per cent interest By the Federal Land Bank of Houston, Texas

See P. S. GRAVES, Secretary Cameron National Farm Loan Association

Over Tax Collector's Office Cameron, Texas

"When I'm good, I'm very, very good — but when I'm bad, I'm better..."



MAE WEST in 'I'm No Angel' with CARY GRANT

Lady Lou's got five new songs... and she sings 'em the old way!

A Paramount Picture

Cameron Theatre

January 7 and 8

## America's Food Plants

## Given to Entire World

The discovery of America gave the world something more than jazz music and Wild West movies and skyscrapers, observes a writer in the Washington Star.

Up to the time when the first Colonists came, civilized men of Europe had never tasted corn on the cob or peanuts. They had never seen a passion flower and they had never tasted tomatoes. And more astounding than these, they had never eaten Irish potatoes, and Sir Walter Raleigh's friends threw water on him in the hope of extinguishing the fire when he smoked his first tobacco.

The Indians introduced the first white settlers to the joys of pineapple, beans, peanuts, red pepper, corn, guava and papaya. And seeds of all these were carried by returning travelers back to their European homes.

Columbus himself told Queen Isabella of Spain that he had found, instead of the spices of Cathay, tapioca and sweet potatoes.

Cortez, when he landed in South America, found the Aztecs using cacao and vanilla and making sugar from the century plant. It was here in Bolivia that potatoes were first used as a staff of life. The Aztecs were much more daring than Europeans, who feared for many decades that tomatoes were deadly poison. These South American Indians ate tomatoes and enjoyed them when Cortez first saw them.

Among the other food contributions of the New world were squashes, pumpkins, sunflower seeds, artichoke, maple sirup, strawberries and various other berries and wild grapes.

If the whole truth is told, however, there was a "bitter berry in the brewing," for with these toothsome and useful foods came poison ivy, which is also a distinctly American plant.

## Largest Dome on Top of West Baden (Ind.) Hotel

The dome of the original central building of the National Capital was constructed of wood, covered with copper, observes the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. This was replaced by the present structure of cast iron, which was completed in 1865.

But how many Americans are aware that the largest dome in the world is in a small town in the Middle West? This town is not a seat of government, it has a population of only about 2,000, and it has no large cathedral comparable to those in the great cities of the United States and Europe. "It is a safe guess," says the Manchester Guardian, "that few know where the largest dome on earth is now to be found. It is on top of a huge hotel in a small town in the Middle West of America—West Baden, Ind." Indeed, few Americans know this.

The span of the dome at West Baden "is twelve feet broader than the dome of St. Peter's. The builders' problem was not the making of a big dome, but the contrivance of adequately strong supports to hold one. It rests on sixteen solid brick piers, inclosed in a thick skin of mortar. The lime binds the masonry into an almost imperishable mass through its ability to absorb carbon dioxide from the air to unite with the sand and bricks."

Investigation discloses there is a hotel in West Baden Spring, Ind., having a dome of steel and over 18,000 square feet of glass skylight, covering 40,000 square feet of floor space, the largest single room in the world.

## Fiat Money

During the Civil war the country was unable to find gold or silver to support needed currency issues, or to borrow to defray the expense of war. Secretary of the Treasury Chase suggested an issue of money supported by nothing but the government's promise to pay. This is known as fiat money. Demand notes were issued, and called greenbacks because the back was printed in green ink. The people declined to receive them at full value. They stood at 97 cents in January, 1862, but in 1864, when General Early reached a point within eight miles of Washington, and many despaired of Northern victory, their value declined to 35 cents on the dollar. By 1875 their value in the public estimation rose to \$7.2. Payment of them in specie was authorized at that time. The government then put \$150,000,000 in gold aside for their support and provided later for an additional gold reserve. This brought them to par, and they have since been accepted without question.

## The Wedding Ring

When a man puts a ring on his bride's finger at the altar he is doing precisely what his long-dead predecessor did in Anglo-Saxon days. When Anglo-Saxon lovers were betrothed the bridegroom gave a "pledge" which took the form of a ring. This was placed on the maiden's right hand, and was religiously kept there until it was transferred to the other hand at the marriage ceremony. It is interesting to note that this pledge was called a "wed," from which we derive our word "wedding."

## Temple of Heaven

Many of the famous shrines of old China are located within the "Forbidden City," which lies within the Tatar portion of Peking (Peking), but there is one in the Chinese part of the city which is as noteworthy as any in that land of illustrious craftsmen. This is the Temple of Heaven where the Chinese emperors came at daybreak on December 21 to offer sacrifices to Shang-ti, the supreme deity.

## BEN ARNOLD

Mr. Ellis Coker and family spent Christmas holidays with friends and relatives of Greenville.

Mr. T. J. Sisson and family of Maysfield spent Christmas with Mr. Claud Coker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gommert of Holland spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Folschinsky.

Misses Mildred Perkins, Jessie Maye Bell, Dorothy Buffington and Opal Brod were guests of Mamie Allen the past week end.

Mr. Gilbert and family, Mr. Tommie Buffington and family of North Elm, Mr. Alvin Buffington and family of Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Dobbs of Yarrington all spent last Tuesday with Mr. Alvin Buffington and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Helms Sprouil and Billy Helms visited homefolks during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ring from Corpus Christi visited in the M. H. Behnes home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClendon and Miss Louise McClendon of Waxahachie, Mr. Grady McClendon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McClendon were visiting friends and relatives here during Christmas.

A number of people attended the quarterly conference of the Methodist church Sunday. Bro. Ingram, presiding elder, preached an interesting sermon. Dinner was served at the church.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. elected new officers for the next three months as follows: President, Claud Sprouil; Vice President, Mamie Allen; Secretary, Elton Allen; Corresponding Secretary, Jessie Maye Bell; Treasurer, Sam Rudder, Jr.; Song Leader, Leo Tubbs; Quiz, Mildred Perkins; Group 1, Faye Dawson; Group 2, Dorothy Buffington.

## Honor Roll

First Grade—Bessie Mae Sweet, Eugene Behne, Ruel McElwath, Carl Allen, Jr. and Wesley Boecker.

Second Grade—L. E. Mitchell, Billy Ray Robinson, Bobby Lou Henderson, Beth McClendon, Glenn Rice, Helen Keith, Eugene McClendon and Albert Rettig.

Third Grade—James Behne, Pheral McElwath, Selma Lee Folschinsky, Leonard Strickler, Mary Lou Folschinsky and Mary Nell McKinney.

Fourth Grade—Aldan Mitchell, Fifth Grade—Josephine Meeks, Mollie Dee Cook, Ruby Sweet, Laura Nell Allen, Elizabeth Johns, Dorothy Reddchase, Mary Sue Cook, Leona Robinson and Kathryn Ruth Rudder.

Sixth Grade—Viola Backe, Ora Lee Strickler, Willie Mae Folschinsky and Raymond Meeks.

Seventh Grade—Gertrude Barke-meyer, Van Sweet, Annie Beth Cook, Lillian Folschinsky, O. J. Brod, Mildred Folschinsky, Virginia Allen, Leola Behne and Dencie Coker.

Eighth Grade—Mary Johns, Carlena Arisman, Freida Meek, Lillie Schiller and Lucille Komar.

Ninth Grade—Faye Dawson, Juanita McKinney and Winifred Boecker.

Tenth Grade—Coy Dawson, Agnes Coker, Edith Nolte and Dorothy Buffington.

Mrs. Katherine Robbins and daughter, Miss Katherine, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. P. J. Leavison and husband, have returned from a visit in East Texas where they visited Mrs. Leavison's sister.

## DEPOSIT GUARANTEE LAW NOW OPERATIVE

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt, in a proclamation tonight, returned to the state banking authorities sole supervision of the non-member banking structure.

He amended proclamation issued last March whereby all banks were brought under supervision of the administration when the banking emergency was declared.

The prohibition in the previous regulations pertaining to the holding of gold, hoarding, and dealing in foreign exchange, were continued in tonight's order.

Inasmuch as the treasury has acted on all requests for licensing member banks, of the federal reserve system, and the federal deposit insurance corporation likewise has acted on all applications to it for membership, it was deemed appropriate, the proclamation said, that the banking authority in each state should exercise the sole responsibility for banking institutions not members of the federal reserve system.

The deposit insurance system—insuring deposits up to \$25,000—be-

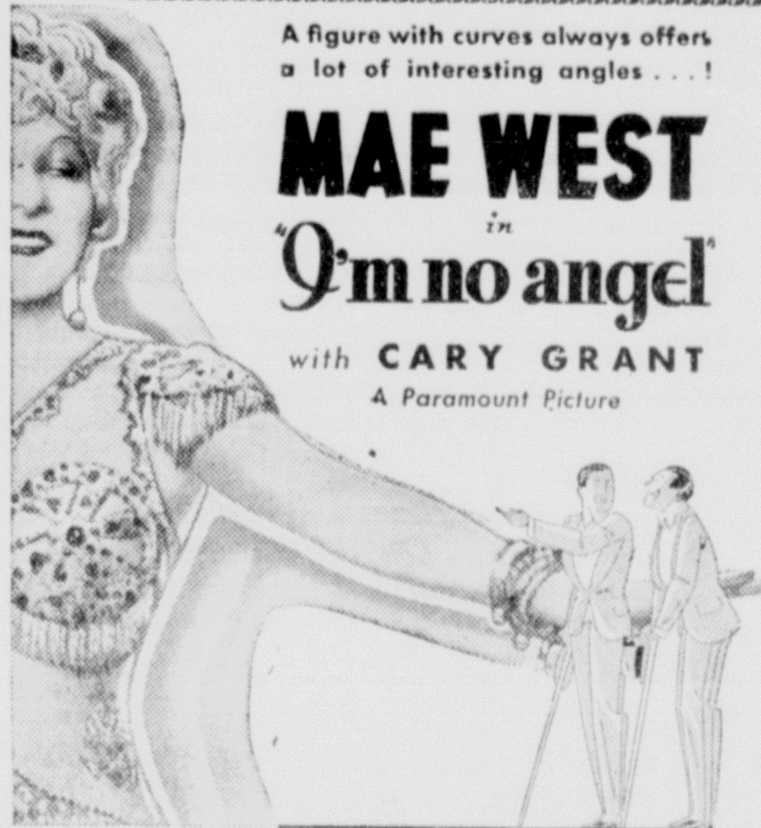
comes operative on Tuesday, and state banks which have qualified will then come under the central control of the federal deposit insurance corporation along with national banks and state members of the federal reserve system. All applications of state non-member banks have been acted upon as well as those of member institutions.

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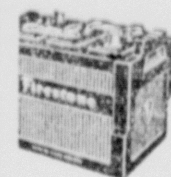
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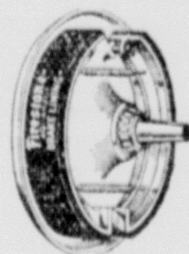
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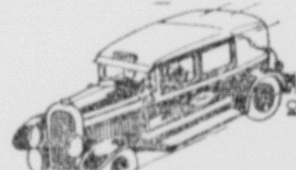


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## BANKS—

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our Cameron banks do not fluctuate a great deal between the low mark and the high mark. The stability of deposits is an evidence of the accumulated wealth of our citizens which is held in reserve against contingencies and shows a substantial financial condition of the citizens of Cameron and its trade territory.

You have heard so much about the insurance of Bank Deposits since the Bank Holiday and as it is considered one of the great achievements of the Roosevelt administration, we think our readers will be interested in reading the Certificates of Insurance received by our two local banks. We are printing copies of both below:

No. 3126

## FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation it has been made to appear that the First National Bank, Cameron in the State of Texas is a member bank of the Federal Reserve System, entitled to become a member of the Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund and to the insuring of its deposits as provided by law from the date hereof until July 1, 1934.

Now, therefore, I, Walter J. Cummings, Chairman of the Board of Directors, do hereby certify that the First National Bank, Cameron in the State of Texas, is a duly qualified member of the Temporary Federal Deposit Insurance Fund.

In testimony whereof, witness my signature.

Walter J. Cummings,  
Chairman of the Board of Directors  
of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Attest:  
Walter J. Owens, Secretary  
(Seal)

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## ROBERTS—

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duties as marshal. During his term he has had the active co-operation of the city officials and the citizens at large have given him support and co-operation and he is grateful to them for this consideration.

Having had much experience as peace officer and having served two years in the office of Marshal he feels that he will be able to render even greater service if given an opportunity to serve for another two years which would be a second term in office.

Mr. Roberts will make an active canvas of the voters and plans to see each one and ask their vote and support. His friends are asked to assist him in his campaign and he pledges the people in advance of his grateful appreciation for their support and will pay back in terms of service to them the obligation imposed by their continued confidence and co-operation.

## EXECUTION—

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chair. Stopped by the warden just before he reached the electric death trap, he was asked if he had any statement to make. In a clear voice he said: "I am guilty of the crime, and I am sorry I done it. I have made my peace with God and am ready to die." With these last words the black got into the chair and was strapped down by the attendants. At exactly 12:18 the current was turned on and at 12:26 the physician pronounced Booker dead.

The Cameron party did not see the preliminaries to the electrocution which occurred in the death cell. Booker was prepared for execution and

soon led to the iron door that leads out to the little room where the death chair awaited. It is a walk of not more than 20 feet from the death cell to the chair, Mr. Roberts said. Down that path of death they say the feet of three men march, Booker being the first to walk to the chair. In a few moments, stretcher bearers took him out dead. He had paid the price for the brutal murder of the Cameron Merchant.

## McMILLION—

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county government to represent the Precinct. The precinct is composed of Justice Beats 6 and 7 and the voting boxes are Buckholts, Sandy Ridge, Yarrington, North Elm, Marak, Ben Arnold, Burlington and Walker's Creek.

Mr. McMillion plans to make an active canvas of the voters to talk with them about his campaign for this office. He enters the race with the active support of a large number of people and expressed his appreciation for the fine support already accorded him. He asks his friends over the Precinct to lend their support and he pledges to the people a record of service devoted to the welfare of all the people and the best interests of the county.

## DUNLAP—

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Hyatt and the Lynch Davidson Co. at Benford.

Mr. Dunlap believes that the 25 years of experience that he has enjoyed in the study of clerical work together with the tabulations of figures should qualify him in the essentials of the office which he seeks.

Friends have encouraged this citizen to make the race, and he plans to speak to all city voters before the Primary to lay before them his qualifications and to solicit their votes and support.

Mr. Dunlap, during his residence in Cameron, has been an active man, not only in the lumber business, but in civic projects as well. He is prominent in church activities and has had to do with the promulgation and successes of many city projects. He is well and favorably known in this section, and many people in this city will learn with interest of his announcement at this time.

## NEWTON—

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signal success. He has had 15 years of teaching, three years at Hondo and one year in Graham. For the past 11 years he has been teaching in the Cameron schools and the schools of Milam county.

For three years he was principal of the grammar school in Cameron. Five years he taught in the high school and for the last three years he has been principal of the Yoe High school. With this teaching experience and his broad knowledge of school needs, he is well qualified to serve as County Superintendent for schools in Milam county. His many friends believe he offers for this place with unusual equipment and that his candidacy will have a wide appeal to the people.

A veteran of the World War, Mr. Newton saw active service for his country. He has been active as a Legion member and holds membership in the Edwin Hardy Post No. 9

at Cameron. Mr. Newton is married and with his wife and three small children, live in Cameron.

Mr. Newton believes that to render the best service and be of the greatest usefulness, he will abide by the will of the people of each school district, always respecting their wishes and not to be autocratic in dealing with the problems affecting the various districts.

He plans an active campaign and wants the opportunity to shake hands with every voter in Milam county before the primary election day next July.

## JOSEPH—

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fairs of the City as secretary and treasurer. Prior to his service as secretary and treasurer he was a member of the board of aldermen. He has made a close study of the needs of the city and has been instrumental in large part in managing the fiscal affairs of the city so that indebtedness may be kept to a minimum and property owners spared the burden of heavy tax payments.

Mr. Joseph greatly appreciates the support of his many friends and in his announcement for re-election asks the people to re-elect him to the office. His friends point with pride to his exceptional record and are confident the people appreciate his qualifications for the place.

## KENNON—

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his brother. They had been pals and magazine merchants and were widely known in Long Beach. At the city hall in Long Beach they were buddies to the police. When the funeral was held Friday afternoon, December 29 a complement of police officials escorted the body and acted as pall bearers.

Guy and Glenn visited in Cameron two years ago with their mother in the home of their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Butts.

Clifford F. Wallace, 40, driver of the death car, was being detained by police and charges of murder have been filed against him.

Friends in Cameron extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Kennon and family and to relatives in Cameron.

## WILKERSON—

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father, Ben Cammer. The newspaper was then known as the "Cameron Sentinel."

Mr. Wilkerson received his education in the public school here and later attended the University of Texas, where he took a course in Civil Engineering. He has been engaged in various lines of business and for the past 17 years has been associated with his brother, Perry Wilkerson, in the automobile business where his many years of bookkeeping and office work fit him to serve the people more efficiently in the office to which he aspires.

By his quiet steady bearing he is known to his friends to be a man of gentlemanly habits, honest and upright. In the event of his election, Mr. Wilkerson states that he will always have the interest of the people whom he serves at heart, and strive in every way possible to help them. The accuracy of bookkeeping and above all honesty in conducting the affairs of the office, he particularly stresses in his line of campaign, and prom-

ises courtesy and fair dealing to each person he serves.

Mr. Wilkerson is making an active effort to meet each voter in hopes to secure their valued support and vote. Any help and influence extended to him will be greatly appreciated.

## POLL TAX—

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vote in the city primary election in early February a voter must pay both his city poll and his county and state. Likewise to be able to vote in the July primaries this year a voter must possess his city poll tax as well as county and state if he resides in the corporate limits.

The year 1934 is important because it is a political year. City Tax Collector Dan Tyson and Roy Law collector for Milam county and their office help are prepared to take care of all payments. Early payment is urged. Cars must be registered as well as taxes must be paid before January 31st midnight to avoid penalties.

Mrs. Katherine Robbins and daughter, Miss Katherine, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. P. J. Leavison and husband, have returned from a visit in East Texas where they visited Mrs. Leavison's sister.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bigbee and children, Beryl and Billie, returned to their home in Houston New Year's day after visiting his mother, Mrs. Lottie Bigbee.

Judge Jeff T. Kemp and wife were guests in his brother's home, Wiltz Kemp and family, in Houston the first of the holidays. They also visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. George Byrom where they had a reunion of the Kemp family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams of Jackson, Mississippi and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tucker of Dallas were also guests at the reunion.

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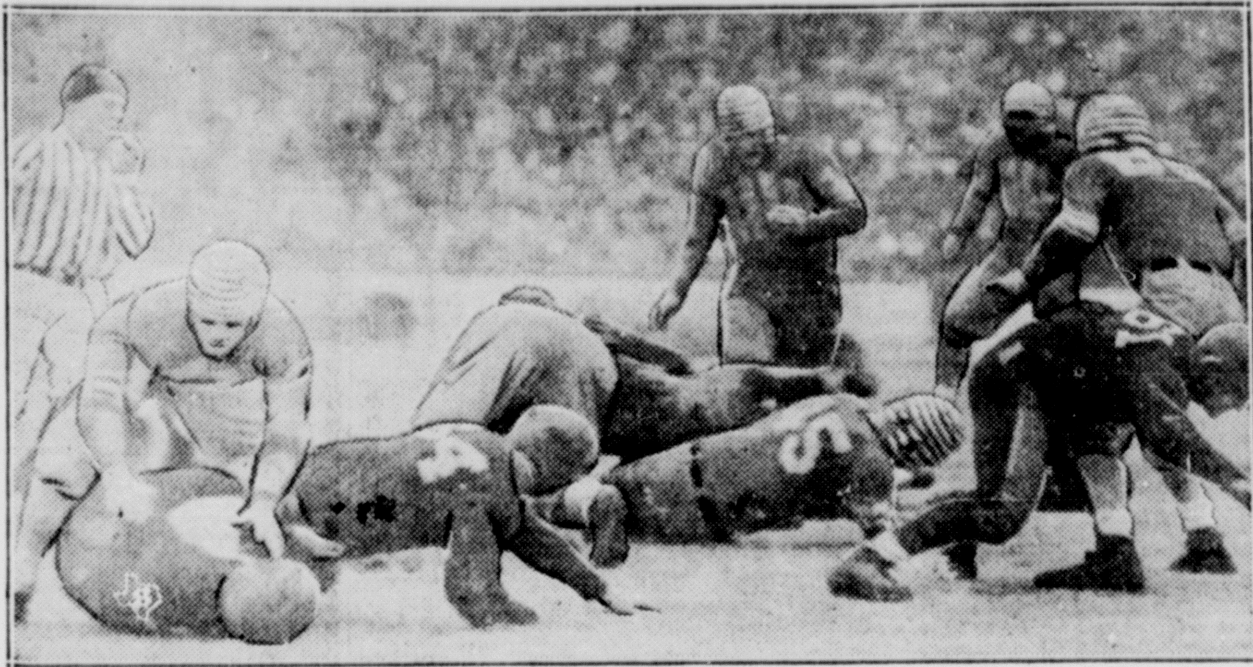
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## Greenville Lions Texas Champions after 21 to 0 Victory



The Greenville Lions didn't tell the Dallas Tech Wolves that they were Sea Lions before the muddy game that decided the championship of Texas began, but after it was over, the Wolves knew. Fired by a previous 13 to 0 defeat at Greenville's hands in an early season practice game, the Tech Wolves went into the state finals at Dallas Saturday to do or die. They came out on the short end of a 21 to 0 score before the onslaught of a striped Greenville machine that gave no quarter and asked none. The victory gave Greenville the undisputed state high school football championship of Texas. The picture above shows a Greenville man tearing through to nail a Tech man behind the line during the muddy game.

## Personel Mention

Attorney O. D. Graham of Thorn-dale, was a legal visitor to Cam-eron New Year's day.

Jim Pate, formerly of Cameron, now of Tracy, was here New Year's day and was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Pate.

Mrs. Glenn Flinn, wife of Rev. Glenn Flinn, presiding elder of the Houston district in the Texas Metho-dist Conference, is a patient in a Temple hospital.

Mrs. Loula Clinton enjoyed a pleasant week's visit with her moth-er, Mrs. Carrothers in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Coleman and son, James, Jr. have returned from a week's visit with her parents in Corpus Christi.

Bob Barnett of Baytown spent several days in Cameron during the holidays, guest of Miss Mozelle Big-bee at the Bigbee House.

Mrs. M. M. Kemp and daughter, Mrs. Rosa McMillan and Miss Louise Kemp of Waco, visited friends in Cameron New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Triggs spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis at Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Favors and child of Houston, were holiday visit-ors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Favors and family. He formerly lived in Cameron.

## E. A. Wallace

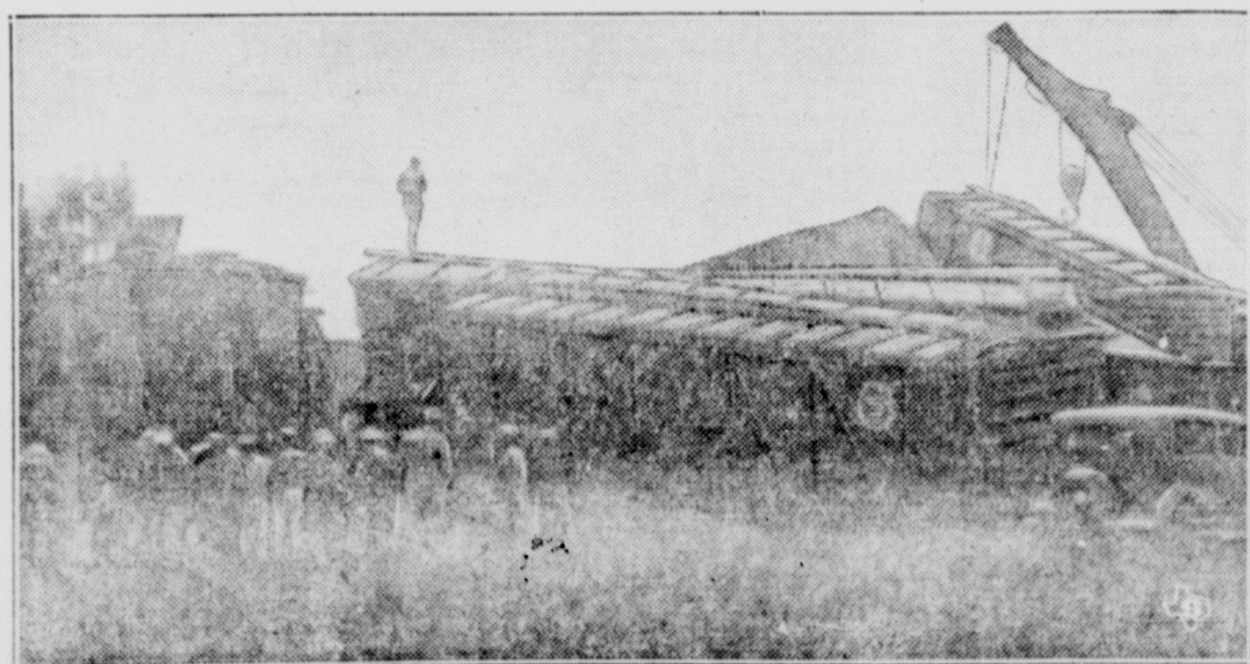
Attorney-at-Law

Over First National Bank

Building

Cameron, Texas

## Five Die When Cows and Mule Wreck Fast Freight



Three members of the crew of a Missouri Pacific fast freight and two transients riding in one of the cars were killed near Calvert, Texas, when the engine and a number of cars jumped the tracks after the engine struck several cows and a mule roaming on the right of way. The picture above was taken in the rain immediately after the tragedy. The dead trainmen were R. J. Delhomme, Fred Wallace and Otis Greenall of Mart, Texas. The dead transients were unidentified.

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## Belton Girl Gets Art Place Here

Miss Clementine Armstrong of Belton has been elected to the position of art teacher in Yoe High school taking the place of Miss Mary Ellen Jeter who recently was married to Rufus Boecker of Fort Worth. Miss Armstrong is the sister of Mrs. L. J. Epperson, formerly Miss Iva Armstrong and before her marriage a member of the Cameron school faculty.

## EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Episcopal church will have a celebration of Holy Communion next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Dr. J. H. Williams will speak at the First Baptist church Sunday night.

The County Baptist Workers conference will meet at Rockdale Monday.

Mrs. Bolivar E. Kemp, chosen representative from the Sixth Louisiana district in an election which offered no other candidate, will have to defend her seat in the United States House of Representatives, elected to take the place of her husband, the late Bolivar E. Kemp, a cousin of our townsman Judge Jeff T. Kemp.

Mrs. M. M. Kemp and daughters, Miss Louise Kemp of Waco and Mrs. James McMillan and son, James, of Dallas, visited friends and relatives in Cameron Monday.

J. T. Parma and daughter, Mildred, have returned from a few days visit with relatives and friends in Schulenburg.

Mrs. R. D. Eddins of Robstown and children, E. C. Eddins and Ruby Mae Eddins of Robstown spent the holidays here with Mrs. E. I. Peck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cobb have returned from Mission in the Rio Grande where they spent Christmas with their son, Moulton Cobb.

Mrs. Christine Wheaton of Austin is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Leath.

Miss Tabbie Robinson spent the Christmas holidays in Gulf with a sister and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gohmert had as holiday guests his mother, Mrs. Louis Gohmert of Cuero, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Strickler of Rockdale, Paul Strickler of Pflugerville and Ed Strickler of Seguin.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Clay Watson of Waco spent Christmas day here with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradbury.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Strickland and son spent a few days on their farm near Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Valenta of Jarrell and Mr. and Mrs. Ladie Beryne of Corpus Christi were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Marak.

Steve Marak, Jr. spent New Year in Jarrell with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradbury had as holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conway of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bradbury of Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Potter and son of Franklin.

## T. C. STAFFORD BURIED IN OAK HILL CEMETERY

The funeral of T. C. Stafford who died Saturday night, December 30 at 9 o'clock at his residence, was held Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church at 3 o'clock, Rev. W. L. Cannan, pastor, holding the last sad rites. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery, Cameron, by the side of his late wife who passed away several years ago.

Mr. Stafford was born in Macon county, Alabama, August 31, 1856; was the youngest child of a family of eight children. After growing to manhood he came to Cameron April 4, 1881 and in January 1888 was married to Miss Mamie Elizabeth Harrington at Cameron and has made his home here ever since.

Mr. Stafford was District Clerk for Milam County for twelve years, and served as City Secretary-Treasurer for nearly a term, resigning to enter other business. Early in life he joined the Methodist church and had been an active member and held high offices in the church and Sunday School.

He was a man of fine characteristics, and always remembered his friends and had lived an exemplary life. For years he occupied the same pew in the church, attending upon all its activities even up to a few days before he was stricken. He had been a member of the Odd Fellows for 37 years and for 42 years had been a member of the Knights of Pythias.

His family carefully looked after his every want, and took him to all places of interest when able to attend. He always took interest in all civic and religious activities.

Surviving him are four children, Mrs. Juanita Lyon, W. H. Stafford, Howard Stafford of Cameron and Miss Glennie Stafford, who is studying in Chicago, and was unable to be present at the funeral. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. J. Davenport of Montgomery, Alabama, and one grandson, Stafford Lyon of Cameron.

Members of the Odd Fellows and K. P. Lodges were honorary pallbearers.

Active pall bearers were: Judge Graham Gillis, W. A. Bonds, Roy Law, M. G. Cox, J. D. Eplen and R. A. Tag.

Out of town friends present at the funeral were Mrs. Norwood, Misses Lillie and Juanita Norwood of Marlin and Mrs. J. R. Lyons of Lyons, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Boykin of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Slama and daughters Misses Mildred and Adelle Slama of Cameron, Mrs. Frank Marek Sprott of Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. O. Ernst and baby of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Juergens of Ben Arnold were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berndt at Caldwell Sunday, it being the celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Berndt. This was a happy occasion and many nice gifts were showered on the honorees.

## Cameron Boy Meets Success in Ad Art

Elton Ledbetter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ledbetter of Cameron, is among the number of Cameron boys succeeding in far away places. Elton is now living in New York and is succeeding as an advertising model. In the Saturday evening Post of December 30 on page 47 an advertisement for cigars appears and Mr. Ledbetter is the central figure in the picture. He has been a student in advertising art for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gohmert and family were Sunday guests of relatives in Rockdale. Mr. Gohmert is spending a few days in Cuero this week.

Many friends will be glad to hear that Dr. John Denson is reported to be improving from an operation at the Cameron Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cecil Culpepper have returned from Mississippi where they visited his relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilian and daughter spent Christmas in Austin with relatives and while there Mr. Kilian went deer hunting and killed an eight point buck within ten miles of Austin. This is Mr. Kilian's first deer.

Rev. and Mrs. Ben Hodges are in Wichita, Kansas, where he is holding a six weeks' revival meeting.

Clarence Copus, wife and daughter, Mildred of Kennedy visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Copus and his wife's parents, during the holidays. Mr. Copus has been on the police force in Kennedy for a number of years. Recently he has been promoted to Chief of Police, meaning that another Cameron boy has gone away and made good.

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## Historic Water Well Near Buckholts May Have Been "Pow-Wow" Place Old Indian Tribe

BUCKHOLTS—A water well on the old Pelch estate 10 miles south of Buckholts, now owned by Lee Applin of the Texas Panhandle country, marks the location of an ancient Indian picnic ground. Old coins, arrowheads and other articles of Indian life have been found there for many years. These, together with stories told by pioneers of this section corroborate legends of the spot.

It is believed that the powerful Cherokee and Comanche tribes then dominant in the southwest, held their pow-wows here and satisfied their thirst with the pure flow of this primitive well as, bedecked with paint and feathers, they sat in war council and danced near it.

No one knows the exact age of the well nor who dug it. Sufficient information has been gathered, however to verify that it is not less than a century old. Before the Civil War pioneers say, it accommodated ranchmen with water supply. Old Confederate soldiers say that during Civil war days they walked miles daily to get a drink from the well.

The curb, built of rocks from the surrounding territory, has been there since antebellum days, old-timers say.

During three severe drouths the old well has been a never-failing source of water. Most wells in Milam county went dry in 1870, and people traveled miles to draw water from the Pelch well in preference to using river water. Again in 1917, it succored drouth-stricken people in the county.

In 1925 Jesse Applin raised three bales of cotton on three acres of land surrounding the well. It has been necessary to ditch this land because for many years the soil has been very damp.

The well is about 12 feet deep and the water has never been exhausted by hand drawing. Many people are hauling water daily from it at the present time on account of the prolonged dry spell.

It is the belief of historians that the well was sunk prior to the coming of white men to the Lone Star state.

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## J. R. Hunt, Collector, Believes Tonkawa Camp Site Found

SHARP—A small strip of rocky soil, five miles southeast of Sharp in the forks of the San Gabriel river and Tonkawa creek on what is known as the old Coffield farm, designates the historic picnic grounds where the "flickering campfires" leaping into midnight air while the mighty Tonkawa Red Man held his farewell "pow-wow."

J. R. Hunt, one of Milam county's foremost archeologists and an authority on Indian mounds and undergrounds, says that according to statements of Mrs. Nabor Cropper over 40 years ago, this was the home of Milam county's last tribe of Tonkawa Indians, in the "dark age" history of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cropper settled on this strip of land more than 75 years ago. No lumber dealers were located in this county at that time and Mrs. Cropper had to haul lumber from Beaumont in an ox wagon to build floor, roofing, windows and doors for the residence, one of Milam county's oldest log cabins.

For many years Mr. Hunt was an employee on the Cropper farm and enjoyed the pioneer tactics and hospitality of the primitive reconstructors.

Mr. Hunt continues the story with an interesting account of his recent exploration of the picnic ground. Ancient coins, bread rocks, squaw axes, and such were gathered. They helped to verify the legendary story related by the pioneer woman years ago in connection with the Red Man's Romance.

### BUCKHOLTS

Mrs. J. B. Logan is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Schiller. Mrs. Florence Bloom of Webb City, Missouri, is visiting her brother, W. H. Ezzell and sister, Mrs. Albert Podany and families.

Mesdames Ed Kolba and Cecil Criswell were Rockdale visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Starling and children of Corsicana were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ezzell.

Bobbie Horstmann of Kerrville spent the recent holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horstmann.

Misses Virginia and Tommy Houston of Granger spent the past week here with their parent, Mrs. W. G. Bain and family.

Miss Gladys E. Harris has returned to Kerens after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Houston and family of Granger were guests of Mrs. W. G. Bain and family Sunday.

A. L. Robinson is still ill, but is improving slowly.

## Mystery: Who Found the Treasure?



A mysterious Mr. A. Modgling, who said he lived near Brownwood, Texas, visited Austin last week to get permission from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson to carry away and put into circulation \$60,000 of treasure in gold, which Mr. Modgling said he had found buried in an old wagon eight miles west of Georgetown, Texas. John M. Sharpe, editor of the Georgetown Sun, investigated and took this picture of E. W. King and his son-in-law, Carol Labenske. Modgling's Austin trip was news to them. Modgling had dug with them for months, but they had found nothing. However, when they investigated, King and Labenske were much perturbed, for a great gaping hole was found. It had been dug without the knowledge of King or his kin. Did mysterious Mr. A. Modgling get the gold? Who knows?

Mrs. Claud Burt and daughter, Miss Dorothy, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hales, have returned to their home in Moody.

Rev. W. P. Elliott, Vernon Bain, Mesdames W. G. Bain, H. D. Kerr and H. N. Harris attended the funeral of Mrs. Missouri Gore in Somerville Monday afternoon.

Miss Frances Cornell of Denison was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Elliott and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Kerr and baby of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whatley of Odessa were recent guests in the home of Mrs. W. G. Bain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Harris were Temple visitors Monday morning.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Kubecka included Mrs. Joe Osaba and children of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Svacek and family of West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huddleston of Oglesby and Miss McCann of Waco were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mitcham.

Honoring her niece, Miss Bernice Bryant of San Marcos and her sister, Miss Virginia Ezzell, entertained Wednesday evening the occasion being a birthday party for the honoree.

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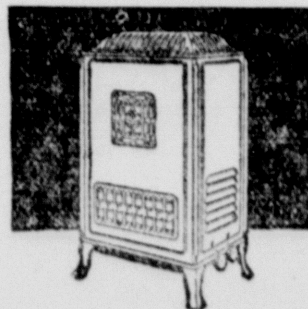
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orees, they having reached the age of sixteen years. A large group of friends were present. There was a treasure hunt and games were played until a late hour. Fruit cake and chocolate were served.

Honoring her sister, Mrs. J. E. Huddleston of Oglesby and cousin, Miss McCann of Waco, Mrs. Charlie Williams entertained with bridge Wednesday afternoon. Guests other than the honorees were Mesdames Sam Mewhinney, J. M. Mitcham, Cecil Criswell, Ed Kolba, J. R. Slovacek and Miss Ava Nell Mitcham. Sandwiches, salad, cake and hot punch were served.

Mrs. G. B. Taylor arrived Friday from a month's visit with her son, Jack Taylor and wife in Oakland,

California. Mrs. Taylor reported a nice visit and that Jack and wife were enjoying California. She was much pleased with the fine weather in Oakland.

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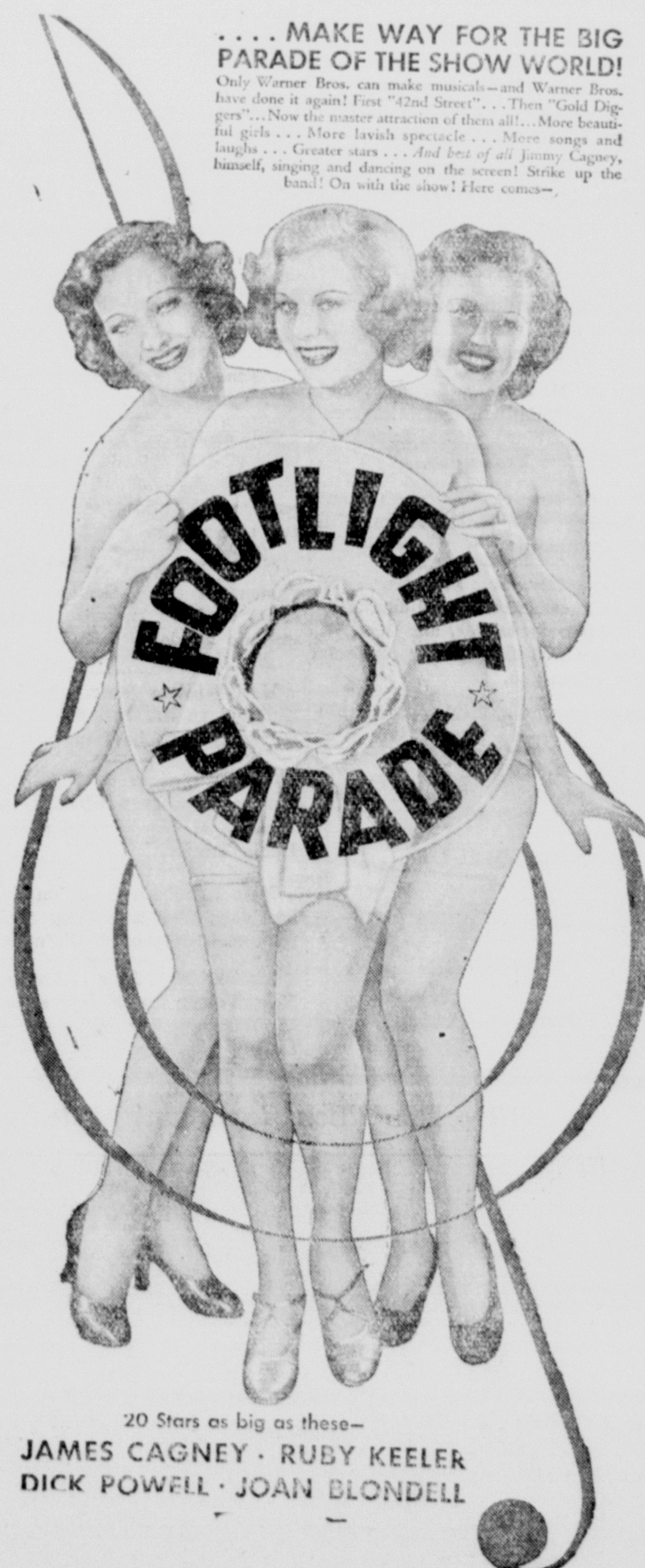
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### MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Cozine Sheffield and Susie Mae Price.  
W. J. Johnson and Cora Hamilton.  
James McDaniel and Zelma Lee Miles.  
Olan Boatright and Rosa Maca.  
Jim Pendleton, Jr., and Marguerite Demar.  
Thomas C. Black and Roberta Miller.  
George T. Henderson and Aona Mae Dodson.  
M. F. Finney and Verna Thomas.  
Otha Stewart and Lillian Carnes.  
Lonnie Armstrong and Mary Spott.

### DEED RECORDS

W. W. Pruett et ux to Elvie Harris Pruett, 80 acres of the M.

Davilla survey, \$10.00 and other considerations.  
Jeff Mills et al to E. P. Brennen 18 1-2 acres of land, \$25.00 and other considerations.  
L. Isaacs estate to City of Rockdale part of block 46 and a strip of land 100 feet wide on west side of lot 9 in block 46, city of Rockdale, \$10.00.  
Evine Harris Pruett et ux to W. W. Pruett, 80 acres of land, \$10.00 and other considerations.  
J. W. McLerran et ux to John McLerran, Jr., 239 acres of the Louis Kleberg and Wm. Clemons surveys, \$1.00 and other considerations.  
J. F. Brown et ux to W. W. Bowmer, 50 acres of the Lewis Lomas survey, \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.  
Neil Rockett et ux to Lee Applin 30 acres of the Chas. Croner survey, \$10.00 and other valuable considera-

### Vegetable Ensemble



Here is Miss Mazie Stebbins, one of the prize winners in the West-laco Anniversary celebration, held recently in this Rio Grande Valley city. Miss Stebbins' costume is made only of vegetables and citrus fruit, and leaves from their vines and trees.

tions.  
H. H. Stigall et ux to J. E. Stigall 130 acres of the A. Fokes survey, \$1.00 and other valuable considerations.  
D. B. Worcester et ux to Citizens National Bank, Cameron, 52 1-4 acres of the W. W. Lewis league, \$2,513.87.  
R. L. Batte to the State of Texas, part of lot 16 in original addition to City of Cameron, \$100.00.  
William A. Gilbert to Herman J. Fox 60 acres of the Jose A. DePena league, \$6,300.00.  
H. E. Toliver to E. Vogelsang 5 1-2 acres of the W. W. Lewis league, Cameron, \$50.00 and other considerations.  
Union Central Life Insurance Co. to Guy T. Newton, 294 acres of the A. G. Perry and James McLaughlin grant, \$2,100.00.  
Augusta Vogelsang to Ida Vogelsang undivided one-half interest in 139 acres of the John McLennan grant \$5,250.00.  
E. Vogelsang to Ida Vogelsang, one-half interest in 139 1-2 acres of

the John McLennan grant, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.

W. R. Newton et ux to Cortez Cox 105 3-4 acres of the D. R. Andin grant, \$10.00 and other valuable considerations.

W. B. Smith et ux to Rockdale State Bank lots in Rockdale in the William Mitchell and D. A. Thompson grants in City of Rockdale \$1,000.00.

### OIL AND GAS LEASES

C. G. Gentry to Minnie Davila 27 3-4 acres of the Levi Taylor grant \$55.

Fred Eads et al to Rhett Wilder, 50 acres of the J. J. Acosta grant, \$1.00.

Joe Ruzuka, Sr. to E. B. Hane, 125 acres of the J. A. DePena grant, \$1.00.

### GRAND JURY

Following is the list of the Grand Jurymen: Emory Crump, foreman; W. M. Fanning, A. L. Massengale,

Clyde Hensley, E. H. Foster, J. A. Henderson, Gus Norman, F. B. Burnie, P. H. McKinney, George E. Blanton, C. E. Bartlett, J. D. Campbell.

### PROBATE COURT

Henry C. Henderson was appointed administrator of the estate of S. D. Carnes, deceased. Bond was fixed at \$1,000. Henry Helperth, Bartle Crennan and J. R. O'Neill were appointed appraisers.

Will of Mary Virginia Barber, deceased, was admitted to probate. J. W. Waddle, Sr. appointed independent executor without bond. Joe Barber, Ed Jensen and Giles Avriett appointed appraisers.

Will of C. K. Stribling, deceased, was admitted to probate. Mrs. Mary Jane Stribling was appointed executrix and testamentary guardian without bond. John T. Hale, W. T. Ramsel and T. B. Ryan appointed appraisers.

We are glad to report that R. L. Batte is improving after having undergone an operation on one of his eyes last week. His daughter, Miss Mary Belle is by his bedside. His many friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

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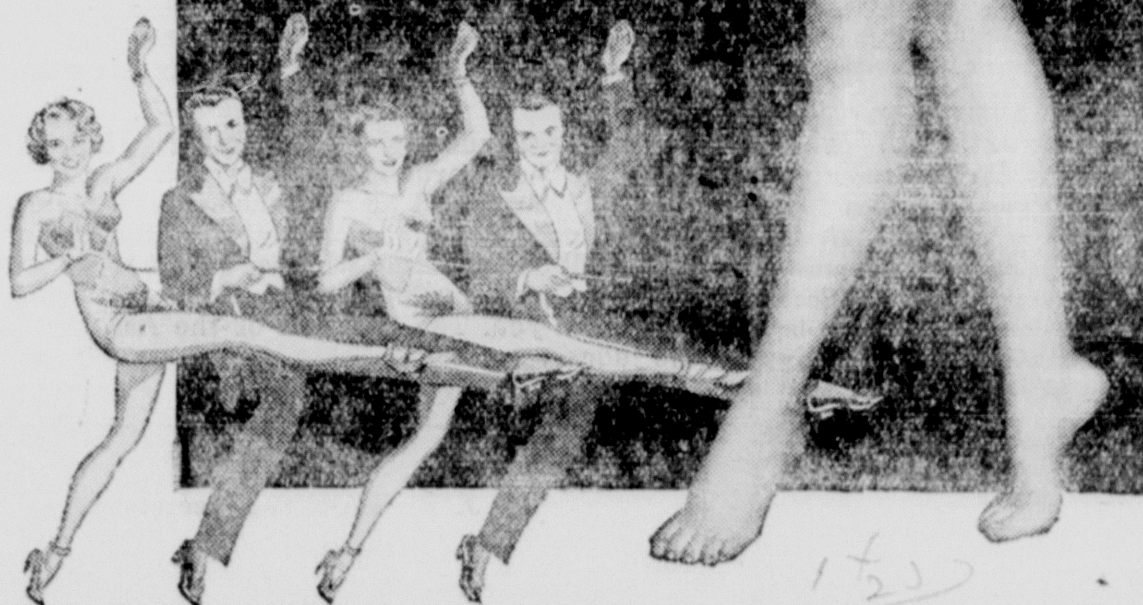
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# SOCIETY

## BUSINESS WOMEN

The first meeting for the year of for the Business and Professional Women's Club was held Tuesday at their club rooms with the president, Miss Stallworth presiding. Roll call was answered by giving important legislation recently enacted. At the close of the business session the meeting was turned over to the chairman of the program committee, Miss Lillian Atkinson, who directed the following program:

Reading, Miss Patricia Batte.  
Guitar Music, Harriett Atkinson and Betty Freeman of Maysfield, who gave numbers in Hawaiian costumes.

Reading, Little Patricia Esslinger.  
Reading, Miss Mary Frances White.

Reading, Miss Mary Ellen Cottle.  
Representative Emory Camp of Rockdale was the speaker for the evening, and gave an interesting talk on the workings of the State Legislature, which was very instructive.

Mrs. Frank Stewart was hostess for the evening and invited the guests into the dining room where a dainty repast was served on small tables that were laid with luncheon cloths, centered with a tall white burning candle in holder, and plates were served consisting of chicken salad, sweet pickles, cheese, individual cakes and coffee with cream.

Guests other than artists present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Atkinson of Maysfield, Mrs. Andrew Esslinger, Miss Blanche Hensley, Mrs. Leona Gillispie White.

A very delightful evening was spent and all spoke in high terms of the work the club is doing.

## WATCH PARTIES

Old fashioned watch parties held interest for a number of the younger set in Cameron, which followed the services held at churches Sunday evening. The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church met in the home of Miss Margaret Smith and enjoyed radio music and games until the New Year was ushered in.

The Methodist parsonage was opened by Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Cannon for the Epworth Leaguers. Music was enjoyed by about 25 young people until the old year departed and the New Year came in.

The home of E. L. Brod was the scene of a gathering of young people who enjoyed games and music until the midnight bells and whistles announced the passing of the old and the coming of the New Year. Cake and candies and coffee were served to all those gathered.

## GOOD CHEER BRIDGE

Beautiful poinsettias were chosen as Christmas decorations by Mrs. Lester Glass when she entertained the Good Cheer Bridge Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

Game tables were attractive with the red and green colors. Tally pads and score cards emphasized the Christmas colors and added beauty to the party rooms.

In the games Mrs. E. C. Cole made highest score for guests and highest for members was made by Mrs. Conn Miller.

Game accessories were removed and tables laid with pretty Christmas covers where refreshments

were served on large trays centered with potted poinsettias and were given in the cut for table favors, and went to Mrs. H. E. Garner, Mrs. Gus Evans and Mrs. Raymond Sharpe. Plate favors were large red carnations tied with green ribbon and were laid on trays.

Guests other than club members present were Mrs. Ayres of Dallas, Mrs. Winnie Wittliff and Mrs. W. A. Bonds.

## BRIDGE PARTY

A pre-holiday event was the joint hostess party given by Mrs. W. R. Hoover and Mrs. Mack Fox at the home of the former in honor of Mrs. Lloyce Phillips of Gladewater who will be remembered here as Miss Inez Scarborough, and a college mate of Mrs. Hoover and a cousin of Mrs. Fox.

Potted poinsettias lent floral beauty to the party rooms and were noted in attractive places, where the spirit of Christmas seemed to reign over the event.

Four game table accessories added to the attraction where a most pleasant time was spent. Ending the games highest score went to Mrs. George Triggs and second highest was captured by Mrs. LaBertice Robinson, all receiving potted poinsettias. Mrs. Phillips was presented with a lovely potted plant.

The hostess' served turkey salad moulded cranberries, cheese wafers, olives, fruit cake with whipped cream and hot tea.

Out of town guest other than honoree was Miss Helen Green who is teaching school at Port Arthur.

## DINNER CLUB PARTY

A delightful pre-holiday event was the dinner club party given by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bonds at the home Thursday evening when they entertained with a four course turkey dinner, followed with contract bridge.

Pretty pink cut flowers were used throughout the home. The table was laid with a dainty lace cover with the chosen flowers gracing the center of the table, with tall pink burning candles at the end.

Later contract bridge was enjoyed for a season, when Mrs. B. F. Robinson made highest score for the ladies and B. F. Bonds made highest for the men. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cottle and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins were guests other than club members.

## YARRELLTON DINNER

A Christmas dinner and family reunion was enjoyed by the families of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reznicek of Yarrellton. After the lunch old fashioned games were enjoyed by all present, which included Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Otto and Mrs. Olga Reznicek of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Reznicek and daughter of Seaton; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reznicek of Edgeworth; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reznicek of Yarrellton; Alvin, Laurine and Evelyn Reznicek of Yarrellton; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baca and family of Little River; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Motl and family of Temple and Bill and Joe Plsek of Marak.

## MR. AND MRS. VERNON ROBERTS ENTERTAIN

A party for the holidays was given by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Roberts Friday evening. Yuletide decorations lent added charm and six tables of players passed a delightful evening. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Davis and Mrs. Jack Eakers won highest scores and received dainty prizes. The hostess served a salad course with hot coffee.

## NEW YEAR SUPPER

Mrs. S. A. Cottle entertained with a New Year supper honoring her young daughter, Miss Mary Ellen Cottle, at the Auditorium Hotel Monday evening by inviting in eleven of her schoolmates for a three course supper.

Guests found their places around the board by place cards in white and silver. The table was centered with a lovely silver holly tree, where a most delightful evening was spent.

The following guests were present for this happy event: Carolyn Chambers, Madeline Tucker, Jeanette McIntyre, Margaret Smith, Dorothy Perkins, Bobbie Batte, Clifton Tucker, Jr., Stone Garner, Sam Tyson, Jack Walker, Grady Stidham, Jr. and the honor guest.

## PROGRESSIVE NEW YEAR PARTY

A New Year's dinner was given by Mrs. Grady Stidham honoring her daughter, Myrtle Stidham, Monday evening at her home. Holly decorations made attractive the rooms and the dining table where decorations emphasized the chosen theme. A salad course with cake and hot chocolate was served to the following guests: Margaret Martin, Josephine Newton, Trent Nabours, Clara Baskin, Iva Earl Heath, Anna Julia Akers, Elizabeth Sprout and the honoree.

Games followed and at nine o'clock they went to the home of Mrs. Julian Baskin where they were joined by the following boys who had been to band practice earlier in the evening: Billie Cooper, Bobby Casey, Charlie Sprout, John Lane Baskin, Carter Brogton, Dana Kestenbaum and Julian Baskin, Jr. Later Mrs. Baskin served cake and hot chocolate to the group.

## CARNES-STEWART

Miss Lillian Carnes and Otha Stewart were married Saturday evening December 30th at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Judge and Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp, Judge Kemp reading the wedding ceremony.

The bride is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ashenbeck of Milano, with whom she has made her home. She was attired in a beige silk crepe with dark accessories, and was attended by a sister of the bridegroom, Miss Alma Stewart of Milano.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stewart. They will make their home on a farm near Milano.

## HARRIS-MODE

On Wednesday night, December 20th in the presence of relatives and a few close friends, Miss Nora Mode became the bride of Mr. Will Harris in the home of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Mode.

Miss Violet Mode of Yarrellton, niece of the bride, sang "Sweet Mystery of Life," accompanied at the piano by a cousin, Miss Katharine Mode of Cameron.

The impressive ring ceremony was read by Rev. J. Kelly Simmons of Thorndale.

The couple went immediately to their home in Salem where Mr. Harris will engage in farming.

## PARENT - TEACHERS

The monthly meeting of the Cameron Parent-Teachers Association will be held next Thursday, January 11 at 3:30 at Yoe High school.

The program will be in charge of Mrs. Winnie Wittliff and the topic "Spiritual Development."

There will be a special hospitality feature under the auspices of the H. E. department.

## STRELSKY-PLSEK

Miss Agnes Plsek of Marak and Andrew Strelsky of Rockdale were married Tuesday morning, January 2 at 10 o'clock in the office of Judge Jeff T. Kemp, Judge Kemp reading the ring ceremony.

The bride was attractively attired in blue satin with accessories to match. Relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Strelsky will reside near Rockdale.

## BAPTIST MISSIONARY

The W. M. S. met at the First Baptist church Monday afternoon for a business meeting. Mrs. Don Slocomb led the devotional. Mrs. W. H. Henley, in the absence of the president, presided over the session. Each woman in the church is urged to be present at the meeting next Monday for a lesson in Royal Service, at 3 o'clock.

F. R. Kittridge of Oklahoma City, formerly of Cameron, visited friends in Cameron during the holidays.

Mrs. G. B. Taylor arrived Friday from a month's visit with her son, Jack Taylor and wife in Oakland, California. Mrs. Taylor reported a nice visit and that Jack and wife were enjoying California. She was much pleased with the fine weather in Oakland.



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